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Since our laſt arrived Two Britiſh Packets, which brought the following Advices.

From the LONDON GAZETTE.

Genoa, June 2.

BY Letters of the 28th paſt from Corſica, De Paoli was at Corté, where he had convened all the Chiefs of the Malecontents. They continued to fortify themſelves at Erba Longa, as likewiſe to batter the Caſtle, or rather the Convent, at Brandi: They made another Attempt to take it by Aſſault in the Night, but they were repulſed with ſome Loſs. De Paoli has recalled all the Veſſels depending on thoſe Places within his Juriſdiction, under a Penalty of confiſcating the Eſtates and Effects of thoſe who diſobeyed his Orders.

Liſbon, June 3. On Holy Thurſday the 31ſt of May, between Eleven and Twelve o'Clock, the Cuſtom-houſe was perceived to be on Fire, and, in a very ſhort Space of Time, the whole Building which was of Wood, together with the Goods in the Warehouſes, was reduced to Aſhes. As it was a Holiday, it was a long Time before Aſſiſtance could be had; and the Flames were immediately ſo intenſe, that nothing could be ſaved except the Cuſtom-houſe Books, and a very trifling Quantity of Goods, which happened to be near the Door. The Government has alotted Warehouſes in the Marine Arſenal, for the Reception and Diſpatch of Goods.

Venice, June 15. On Saturday the 9th Inſtant, his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York was entertained at an Aſſembly in the Palace fitted up on Purpoſe by the Noble Deputies.

On Sunday ſome of the Nobles and the Foreign Reſidents had the Honour to dine with his Royal Highneſs in his Palace. In the Evening his Royal Highneſs was at a Concert of Vocal and inſtrumental Muſick, performed by the Girls at the Hoſpital of the Mendicanti.

On Monday the Noble Deputies gave a very magnificent Ball to his Royal Highneſs in the great Opera Teatre at St. John Chryſoſtom's, preceded by a Cantata. The Theatre was illuminated and decorated in a very ſuperb and elegant Manner. The Company, which was very numerous and brilliant, was ſerved with all Sorts of Refreſhments in great Profuſion, during the whole Night; beſides which, an elegant Supper was ſerved up to his Royal Highneſs at a Table of about Four and Twenty Covers, in a Room adjoining to the Theatre. The Spectators in the Boxes, and round the Circle, were innumerable. His Royal Highneſs retired about Three o'Clock in the Morning, and the Ball continued till Seven.

To-morrow Morning his Royal Highneſs leaves Venice, and propoſes ſtopping a few Days at Padua.

This Morning the Noble Deputies waited upon his Royal Highneſs to take their Leave. The eldeſt of them made his Royal Highneſs a very handſome Compliment, praying his Royal Highneſs, in the Name of the Senate, to aſſure His Majeſty of their great Happineſs in having an Opportunity of teſtifying their inviolable Attachment to the King and His Royal Family. His Royal Highneſs in Return aſſured them, how ſenſible he was of their great Attention towards him, and that he would make a Report of it to the King.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Liſbon, May 17.

THIS Day Mr. William Elſdon, an Engliſhman, and Major of Engineers, had the Honour to kiſs their Majeſties Hands, having been preſented to them for launching the Noſſa Senhora do Pillar Man of War, of 74 Guns, which Operation had been twice attempted before, without Succeſs.

Vienna, June 13. The Ruſſian and Pruſſian Miniſters have communicated to their Imperial Majeſties, the Treaty of Defenſive Alliance and Guaranty, concluded between their reſpective Sovereigns the 11th of April laſt. Some of our Politicians are of Opinion, that our Court will not accede to this Treaty; and that on the other Hand it may occaſion ſome new Engagements between this Court and France.

From the Lower Elbe, June 18. The Duke of Mecklenbourg is going to redeem the Bailywicks he mortgaged to the Electorate of Hanover: Commiſſaries on both Sides have already met at Betzenbourg to ſettle the Accounts.

Hamburg, June 19. It is reported that the Margrave of Brandebourg Bareuth, whoſe Love of Retirement is well known, has formed a Reſolution of returning to ſome Place in our Neighbourhood, in order to paſs the Remainder of his Days there, and that his Highneſs will govern his Country by a Statholder or Lieutenant, which Poſt is ſaid to be intended for Baron Plotho, Miniſter from Brandebourg to the Diet of the Empire.

Verſailles, June 16. The Camp to be formed near Compiegne will conſiſt of 15,000 Men. Colonel Count Stainville, who is to have the Command of the Regiment of La Marine there, poſſeſſes an Eſtate of 25,000 Livres a Year in Sileſia, and has received a Letter from the Chamber of Breſlau, enjoining him to repair thither forthwith, and gives Reaſon for his Abſence, on Pain of forfeiting his Eſtate. The Court being informed of this, has ſent Orders to our Miniſter at Berlin, to make Repreſentations againſt the Injunction of the Chamber of Breſlaw, and it is hoped his Pruſſian Majeſty will have due Regard thereto.

Verſailles, June 20. The King's Council quaſhed two Arrets this Morning, one of the Parliament of Grenoble, and the other of that of Rouen; by Virtue of which two Perſons had been broke on the Wheel, who ſince have been found to be innocent, by the Confeſſion of the real Criminals. It is aſtoniſhing that ſo many cruel Errors have not aboliſhed the Uſe of the Torture.

LONDON, June 30.

They write from Berlin, that a very important Negociation is on Foot between the King of Pruſſia, and the Margrave of Bareith; the principal Object of which is, as ſome People pretend, the Ceſſion of the Margraviate of Bareith to the King of Pruſſia, on certain Conditions ſtipulated between them.

The Poliſh Diet hath reſolved to lay an annual Poll-Tax of two Poliſh Gilders (about one Shilling Sterling) on every Jew in that Kingdom; which, it is imagined, will raiſe a conſiderable Sum yearly.

Yeſterday Mr. Serjeant Burland took the Oaths, in the Court of Common Pleas, as King's Serjeant.

Extract of a Letter from Liſbon, June 7, 1764.

"Sir, I take the Liberty of troubling you now, at the Requeſt of the Gentlemen of the Factory, who have deſired me to write to Mr. Beſt, at Falmouth, deſiring him to order the Letters by this Packet to be forwarded to London with the utmoſt Expedition. They deſire me likewiſe, to Requeſt the Favour of you to order the Delivery of them as ſoon as poſſible after their Arrival at the Office, as a Delay may be attended with infinite Prejudice to many People, as this Packet carries the News of a moſt fatal Cataſtrophe that happened two Days ago to the Trade of this Place, the entire Deſtruction of the Cuſtom-Houſe by Fire, with vaſt Quantities of Merchandize, as it was hardly ever remembered ſo full of Goods of all Kinds. In leſs than one Hour from the Time of its being firſt diſcovered the Whole was in Flames. The People here are of Opinion, that the ſooner this Misfortune is generally known, the better, as it may prevent Monopolies, and is the Reaſon of my giving you this Trouble. I am, &c.

AMEROSE GODDARD, Agent at Liſbon.

To ANTH. TODD. Eſq;

His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, who has been for ſome Days indiſpoſed, was Yeſterday much better.

On Tueſday Morning her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Amelia, ſet out for Earl Temple's Seat at Stowe, where ſhe propoſed to continue a few Days.

Yeſterday the Right Hon. William Pitt was at Court, where he continued for ſome Time; and afterwards ſet out for Hayes.

On Tueſday Night the Honourable Colonel Græme, who carried the Enſigns of the Garter to the reigning Duke of Mecklenburgh Strelitz, arrived in Town from thence; and Yeſterday waited on his Majeſty at St. James's.

We hear that 1600 Marines are to be immediately raiſed, for which Purpoſe a great Number of Parties are, recruiting in various Parts of the Kingdom.

A Correſpondent at a Sea-port writes, that their late Member being dead, a Letter hath been ſent from above, recommending a Scotch Gentleman to be choſen.—Query; Are there no Engliſh Gentlemen of Probity and Honour left among us, that they muſt have a Scot propoſed as their Repreſentative?

Yeſterday the Court of Common-Pleas was moved to increaſe Iſſues on the Return of the Diſtringas, iſſued at the Suit of Mr. Beardmore's Clerk againſt the Earl of Halifax, when the Court was pleaſed to order 500l. Iſſues on the alias Diſtringas; it appearing by Affidavit, that this Action has been commenced for near twelve Months, and no Appearance yet entered for the Defendant.

Extract of a Letter from Liſbon, June 3.

"Your Favours, by the Expedition Packet, I received, juſt at the Inſtant of a moſt dreadful Calamity, by Fire, which broke out at our Cuſtom-Houſe, between the Hours of Eleven and Twelve o'Clock on Thurſday laſt. The Building being of Timber, it was reduced to Aſhes in the Space of an Hour, together with all Sorts of Merchandize, which had been lodged in it, particularly the Cargoes belonging to the Fleet from Fernambuco, whereby the Company was greatly hurt. The Quantity of Goods which unluckily happened to be houſed at that Time, was greater than has been known for ſome Years paſt, at any one Time. Since the Fire has been quenched, ſeveral Parcels of Goods have been got out from under the Ruins, and a few not greatly damaged. By the next Packet I ſhall ſend you a more particular Account, as we are apprehenſive that ſome Villainy has occaſioned this Cataſtrophe.

We hear that ſome freſh Inſtructions are ſhortly to be ſent to the Earl of Rochford, Ambaſſador at the Court of Spain.

It is reported, that two noble Earls will ſhortly reſign, with Penſions of two thouſand Pounds per Annum each.

We are credibly informed, that notwithſtanding the repeated Applications for that Purpoſe, the Court of Spain will not admit of a Packet being Stationed between the Groyne and Falmouth, as was done before the late War.

There are now no leſs than fifty-three Sail of Ships out in the Service of the Eaſt India Company.

June 30th.] It is ſaid a neighbouring Power has far exceeded the Intent and Meaning of the Treaty, in preſuming to ſend any Ship of War upon the Coaſts of Newfoundland; of which proper Notice has been taken in the late Memorial tranſmitted to that Court.

The Grand Signior has iſſued an Ordonance againſt Luxury, whereby all exceſſive and ſuperfluous Expences in Feaſts and Buildings are forbid, as well as the Wearing of any laced Clothes, or Gold and Silver Stuffs and Embroidery, &c.

It is ſaid, that before his Majeſty's Ship Valiant, Admiral Keppel, left Jamaica, Sir William Barnnaby had ſent the Dreadnought Man of War and a Frigate to the Bay of Honduras, in order to protect our People in cutting Logwood.

It was Yeſterday Morning reported, that a certain Perſonage had, at a late auguſt Meeting, ſtrongly urged the Expediency of ſending out a Britiſh Squadron on a Viſit to the Spaniſh Main.

Yeſterday Lord Baltimore's Houſe, Park, &c. were ſold; it was put in at 150001. and knocked down at 230001. to Mr. Malterman, Attorney, in Chancery-lane; the real Purchaſer is not as yet declared, though it is ſtrongly rumoured it is bought for one of the Great Officers concerned in the Havannah Expedition. It is ſaid Lord Baltimore refuſed 30,0001. for it ſome Time ſince by private Contract.

Letters from Paris ſay, that by Accounts from Nancy they hear, that the celebrated Dwarf of King Staniſlaus died lately of a Fit of the Cholic.—(This Dwarf was remarkably low in Stature, and had been more than once ſerved up to Table in a Pie.)

A Daniſh China Ship, the Queen Juliana Maria, Capt. Holms arrived at Copenhagen the 17th Inſtant, and has brought home 846,000lb. of divers Sorts of Teas.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Hon. Edward Percival, Eſq; Son of the Earl of Egmont, Captain of a Troop in the Firſt Regiment of Dragoon Guards, in the room of Capt. Martin Tucker, preferred.

Yeſterday the Hon. Col. Tryan, lately appointed Governor of North-Carolina, took Leave of his Majeſty, he being to embark in a few Days for the ſaid Colony; he carries over with him a Number of Artificers of different Branches, for the better promoting of Trade.

We hear that John Lloyd, Eſq; who is ſaid to be a Diſſenter, has refuſed to take upon him the Office of Sheriff of this City; and that Charles Eatwich, Eſq; will attend the next Court of Aldermen to diſqualify himſelf from the ſaid Office.

Extract of a Letter from Briſtol, June 27.

"Our Corporation have this Day unanimouſly voted the Freedom of this City to the Right Hon. George Grenville, as an Acknowledgement of his Services in general, and in particular of his Attention to the Commercial Intereſts of the Nation."

Yeſterday a very ſevere Battle, for Fifty Guineas, was fought on Kennington Common, between one Auſtin, Mate of a Ship, and Clegg, a Butcher, when, after a Conteſt, which laſted near 20 Minutes, Victory declared for the former. The Combatants were both ſo much bruiſed, that they were carried off in Coaches. Near 500l. was loſt and won on this Occaſion.

They write from Liſbon in Letters of the 22d laſt, that on the 19th of the ſame Month they had a violent Shock of an Earthquake, but happily attended with no Damage.

It is reported that the Caſtles and other Fortifications in Scotland will ſhortly be ſurveyed, and put into thorough Repair.

By the Britannia, Captain Rous, arrived in the Downs from Bombay, we have Advice, that the Wreck of a large Ship was ſeen floating at the Manillas, which is feared to be the Earl Temple, late Capt. Foſter, ſhe being bound to that Place, and all the Crew periſhed.

Tueſday laſt was tried, in the Lord Mayors Court, Guildhall, before Mr. Recorder, a cauſe between Sir Thomas Harriſon, Chamberlain, Plaintiff, and a Farrier of Coleman-ſtreet, Defendant, in an Action of Treſpaſs of 5l. for employing a Non-Freeman, when, after a Trial of above an Hour, a Verdict was given for the Plaintiff.

At the ſame Time another Cauſe came on, wherein Sir Thomas Harriſon was Plaintiff, and a Horſe-Milliner of Turnagain-lane, Defendant, for likewiſe employing a Non-Freeman, when a Verdict was given for the Plaintiff. The Action was brought and carried on by the Sadlers Company.

INTELLIGENCE EXTRAORDINARY.

Speedily will be ſold, the following Collection of valuable Manuſcripts, all warranted original.

THE Violation of Liberty and Juſtice the beſt Security of the Conſtitution; with Notes by Sir Flexible Brazenface, Knt. dedicated to the late Earl of E——

An Eſſay on Woman; by a Right Hon. Sadler, with Annotations by Mrs. D—d—n.

The Miniſter of State; a Farce of one Act, by a Candidate for a high Office in the Univerſity of Cambridge.

An Eſſay on the Honour of Knighthood; addreſſed to a notorious Magiſtrate for Middleſex.

The Benefits ariſing from a ſcandalous Negociation, and an infamous Peace; dedicated to the Duke of Ruſſelworth, and written by the Spaniſh Commander in the Bay of Honduras.

The Advantages of Florida Turf; a political Treatiſe by a Bog-trotter, lately in the Pay of an unpopular Miniſter.

The Thorough-pac'd Hypocrite; a Poem, being a Sequel to the Vicar of Bray, by the newly-enobled Commoner of Camden.

The late Treaty of Peace found highly beneficial; by his Excellency the S—— Ambaſſador.

The Pillory; a Poem, by the Author of the ſixth Letter to the People of England.

The Liberty of the Preſs, an Oppreſſion—to four of his Majeſty's Meſſengers.

Illegal Impriſonment, a moſt fortunate Circumſtance; by an Attorney of London.

The above Manuſcripts are at preſent in the Hands of an eminent Author, at the Cat and Bagpipes near Shoreditch, who is to correct all the Inaccuracies, either of Orthography or Grammar: Intimation therefore cannot be yet given of the Day of Sale. But as ſoon as it is aſcertained by the Proprietors, Notice ſhall be given in this Paper.

IRELAND.

Cork, July 2. This Day Boyle Travers, Eſq; was elected Mayor: and Henry Wrixon and William Butler, Eſquire, Sheriffs of this City for the enſuing Year.

Saturday arrived at Cove, His Majeſty's Frigate Huſſar, 28 Guns, Captain Smith from a Cruize.

DUBLIN.

To the PRINTER.

SIR,

THE Actions brought, for falſe Impriſonment, by ſundry Authors, Bookſellers and Printers, which have been already determined, as well as thoſe

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